

# EXHIBIT A

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

D. JOSEPH KURTZ, individually :  
and on behalf of all others : 14-CV-1142(JBW)  
similarly situated, :  
Plaintiffs, : 14-CV-4090 (JBW)  
- against - :  
KIMBERLY-CLARK CORPORATION and :  
COSTCO WHOLESALE CORPORATION, :  
Defendants. : United States Courthouse  
Brooklyn, New York

ANTHONY BELFIORE, individually :  
and on behalf of all others  
similarly situated, : August 6, 2019  
9:00 o'clock a.m.

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY

Defendants.

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BEFORE THE HONORABLE JACK B. WEINSTEIN  
UNITED STATES SENIOR DISTRICT JUDGE.

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1 that the plaintiffs claim that they incurred. Can we just  
2 rely upon the reports of the defendants and this witness for  
3 the purpose of this hearing? This witness is a very good  
4 witness I thought.

5 THE WITNESS: Thank you, your Honor.

6 THE COURT: But that doesn't mean that I accept your  
7 statements. Your technique I thought was admirable.

8 I just want to shorten this and get it up to the  
9 Court of Appeals because the next stage, if they certify, will  
10 be a trial I guess. I go back to where we were earlier. We  
11 have 49 states that have agreed on meeting essentially the  
12 claims of the plaintiff. Can we take New York, the empire  
13 state and work out something that's intellectually and  
14 financially satisfactory? . There are some holes in the case.  
15 We'll continue tomorrow at 10:00 o'clock.

16 Good night. Thank you for your economics  
17 dissertation.

18 MR. JOYCE: We expect to get our fact witnesses on  
19 and off fast.

20 THE COURT: My case coordinator is now shifting  
21 around cases to get full days.

22 I look forward to 10:00 o'clock tomorrow, thank you.  
23 Good night. Have a good night everyone.

24 (Adjourned to August 7. 2019 at 10:00 a.m.)

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